

## Message Text

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INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 FEA-01 ERDA-05 AID-05 CEA-01  
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FM AMEMBASSY MOSCOW  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9918

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EO 11652: NA

TAGS: ETRD EEWG ENRG UR US

SUBJECT: SOVIET OIL AND GAS TRADE

REF: (A) STATE 165542, (B) MOSCOW 9733

1. EMBASSY AGREES THAT SOVIET OIL IMPORTS FROM IRAQ WERE  
5.3 MILLION TONS IN 1975 AND 5.8 MILLION IN 1976. FIGURES  
INSERTED IN ERROR IN REFTEL B WERE ABSOLUTE FIGURES FOR NET  
TRADE WITH LDC'S IN THOSE YEARS.

2. WE DO NOT HAVE ANY FURTHER INFORMATION REGARDING  
DISCREPANCY NOTED IN REF A PARA 2, BUT AGREE WITH EXPLANATION  
SUGGESTED.

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## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptoning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01-Jan-1994 12:00:00 am  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** OILS, EAST WEST TRADE, GASES, FOREIGN TRADE  
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**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
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**Disposition Date:** 22 May 2009  
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